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Docket No. MENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER AOK-0235 Filing Date Application No. Examiner Art Unit 10/531,068-Conf. #2536 April 12, 2005 Ives J. Wu 1713 Applicant(s): Daisuke Kanenari Invention: RUBBER COMPOSITION AND PNEUMATIC TIRE USING SAME TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application. The fee has been calculated and is transmitted as shown below. **CLAIMS AS AMENDED** Claims Highest Remaining Number Number Previously **Extra Claims** After Amendment Paid Present Rate **Total Claims** 5 20 0.00 Х Independent 1 3 0.00 х Claims Multiple Dependent Claims (check if applicable) Other fee (please specify): Extension for response within one month 120.00 TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT: 120.00 Small Entity x Large Entity No additional fee is required for this amendment. 120.00 18-0013 X Please charge Deposit Account No. in the amount of \$ A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed. A check in the amount of \$ to cover the filing fee is enclosed. Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached. X The Director is hereby authorized to charge and credit Deposit Account No. 18-0013 as described below. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed. x Credit any overpayment. Charge any additional filing or application processing fees required under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17. Dated: February 21, 2006 David T. Nikaido Attorney Reg. No.: 22,663 Lee Cheng Attorney Reg. No.: 40,949 RADER, FISHMAN & GRAUER PLLC 1233 20th Street, N.W. Suite 501 Washington, DC 20036 (202) 955-3750

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AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

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Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action dated October 18, 2005, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 4 of this paper.